

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE PATENT APPLICATION OF: Kazuhito HAYAKAWA, et al.
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EXAMINER: FREJD, Russell W.
FOR: METHOD OF DESIGNING OPTICAL SYSTEM

Response to Non-Final Office Action

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed April 3, 2008, the date for responding being extended by one-month extension of time to August 3, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6.

It is not believed that extensions of time or fees for net addition of claims are required beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. However, if additional extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned for under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required therefore (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account No. 033975 (Ref. No. 061069-0317233).